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1. The following amounts of precious metals were purchased by the Russians from the Sächsische Kitten- und Blaufarbenwerke (Aue, Halsbrücke, Muldenkitten, and Oberschlema), and paid for by an unidentified Soviet bank located near Cottbus, designated only by an APO number.
  - a. Gold at 3,530 Marks per kg. (in bars):  
1946: .18 kg.; 1947: 36.12 kg.; 1948: 5.96 kg.
  - b. Gold (band), at 3,530 Marks per kg.:  
1946: 2.7 kg.; 1947: 6.0 kg.; 1948: 47.0 kg.; 1949: 63 kg.;  
1950 (Until July): 49.0 kg.
  - c. Gold (massive) - 1946: 0.18 kg.
  - d. Platinum: at 5,450 Marks per kg.:  
1946: 1.5 kg.; 1947: 2.5 kg.; 1948 7.7 kg.; 1949: 4.6 kg.;  
1950 (Until July): 3.0 kg.
  - e. Palladium, at 3,475 Marks per kg.:  
1946: 2.1 kg.; 1947: 0.6 kg.; 1948: 1.6 kg. 1949: 1.7 kg.;  
1950 (Until July): 1.3 kg.
  - f. Silver, at 38.50 Marks per kg.:  
1946: 9.152.5 kg.; 1947: 12,740.9 kg.; 1948: 13,264.1 kg.;  
1949: 21.020.3 kg.; 1950 (Until July): 8,000 kg.

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